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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6095
INFO AMCONSUL RIO DE JANEIRO

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DEPT PASS R BOURDON, MARITIME ADMIN

RIO FOR MARATT KINSELLA

EO 11652: NA
TAGS: EWWT VE
SUBJ: BERTHING DISCRIMINATION AGAINST FOREIGN FLAGS

REF: A STATE 296617, B CARACAS 14183

1. EIGHT COUNTRIES (U.S., BRITAIN, NETHERLANDS, JAPAN, NORWAY, GERMANY, ITALY, AND SWEDAN) HAVE AGREED TO PRESENT DIPLOMATIC NOTES. WHILE CONTENT OF NOTES FOLLOW BROAD OUTLINES PRESCRIBED IN MEETING, EMBASSIES ARE TO USE OWN WORDING.

2. ON DEC 23 EMBASSY DELIVERED NOTE TO MARIANO TIRADO, CHIEF OF TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT, MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS. NOTE CONTAINED PHRASING THAT PRESENT BERTHING POLICY WAS "UNFAVORABLE TO FOREIGN FLAG LINES" AND RECOMMENDED ESTABLISHMENT OF COMMITTEE (REFTEL B) "TO DEVELOP A BERTHING PRIORITY SYSTEM WHICH WILL NOT
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DISCRIMINATE TO THE DISADVANTAGE OF FOREIGN FLAG VESSELS."

3. TIRADO AGREED THAT U.S. HAD VALID COMPLAINT AND COMPLIMENTED CONSTRUCTIVE TONE OF THE NOTE.

4. EMBASSY WILL MAKE FOLLOW-UP VISIT TO INP
(NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF PORTS) TO EXPLAIN NOTE AND REQUEST ACTION.
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